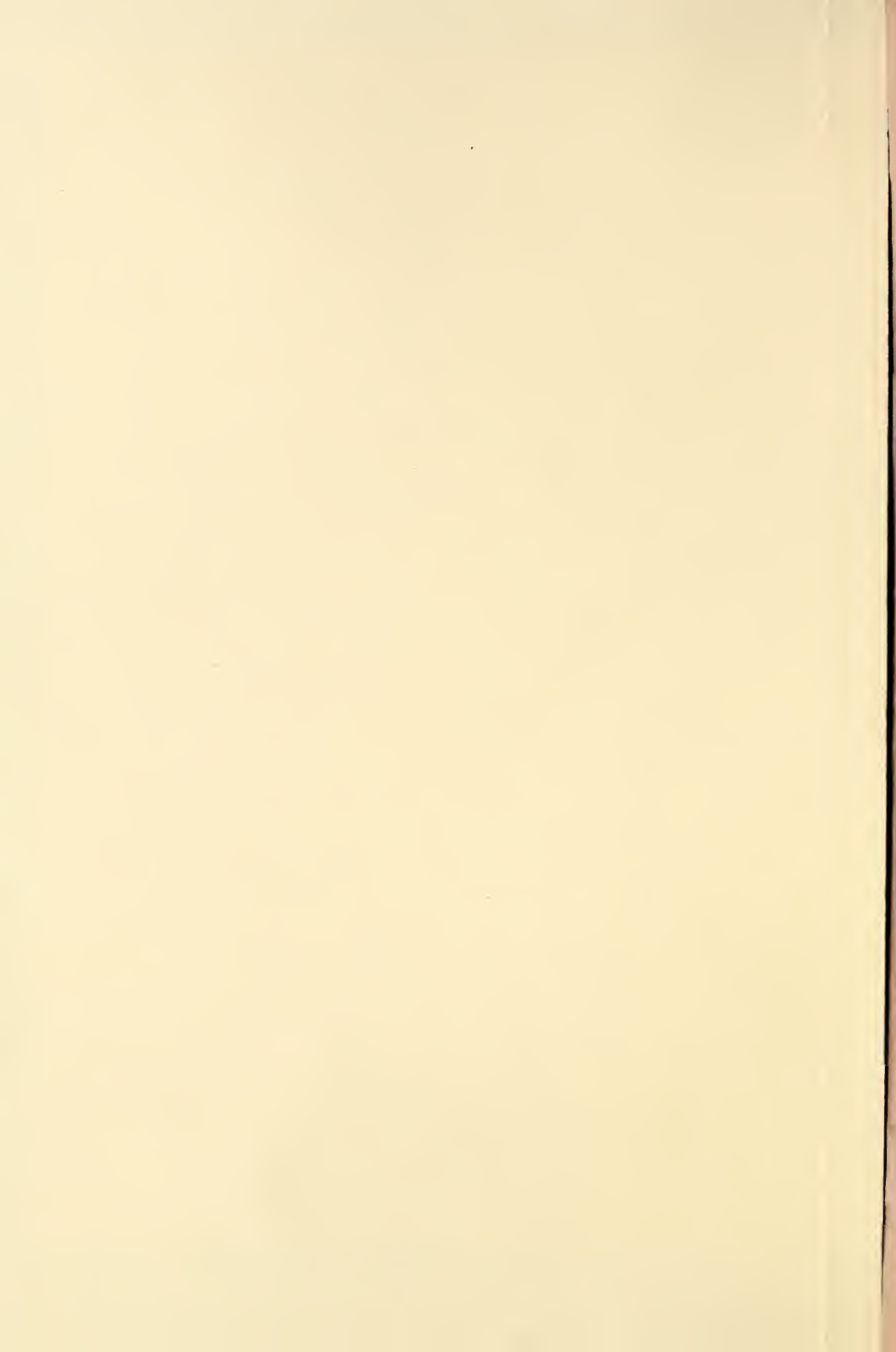


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Dr. SHIRLEY S. SHATTUCK

PROPRIETOR

162 Elm Street, Everett, Mass.

HOW TO REACH

.. *Sagamore Gardens* ..

BE SURE and visit my Gardens during the Season of 1928. They are located just off the King's Highway on the road between Plymouth and the Cape Cod Canal, sixteen miles from Plymouth and one mile this side of the Canal, Sagamore Highlands. Look for sign on the main road—

“SAGAMORE GARDENS”

Greetings—1928

IN PRESENTING my third catalogue I take great pleasure in thanking my many customers for their patronage the past season and also for the many wonderful letters praising my stock. Room will not permit me to print them, but I will give addresses of satisfied customers and the wonderful results they had with my potash fed field grown tubers the past season.

I sold my surplus stock last year and have added to my collection the best of the new creations. I have eleven thousand clumps of (up to the minute Dahlias) eight hundred varieties. I have doubled my stock of 1927. I shipped tubers to the majority of the states—also Canada and abroad.

I grow a great many varieties that I do not catalogue and if you have some certain variety you wish write me and I may have it.

I also wish to thank all those that took the trouble to visit my gardens the past season. It is an inspiration to me. My gardens are located at Sagamore Highlands, Mass., on Cape Cod.

I hope this 1928 catalogue will be interesting and that I may serve you. My stock is free from disease and I have never had the corn borer. I destroy all stunts and junk all tubers that do not run true.

I wish you all a very successful season for 1928.

Honesty is my policy.

Most sincerely,

Dr. SHIRLEY S. SHATTUCK.

Growing the Dahlia

Location: Open, sunny, or partial shade.

Cultivate the soil thoroughly. Plant from May 1st to June 20th. Dig a hole one foot deep. Put in a shovel of manure or other plant food; cover with an inch of soil. Would advise using stake which should be set firmly in the ground. Plant bulb four inches deep, horizontally, and cover. Cultivate at least once a week. Do not water until plants are well above ground. When the buds appear water the plants thoroughly once or twice a week. Apply any good fertilizer, stirring the soil lightly after. To obtain extra large flowers, disbud freely, leaving only a few buds and branches on each plant. If the plant grows too bushy, cut off some of the leaves and side branches and the plant will flower more freely. Green plants should be planted *twice as deep* as they were grown in pots, or four or five inches deep. They should be watered and *shaded* a few days after planting.

Cut Flowers

When using the Dahlia for a cut flower, cut in the cool of the day, either late in the evening or early in the morning. Place stems in deep vessels filled with cold water. Set in cool cellar or ice box for six hours or more. They are then ready for use.

Dahlias Which Are Not Catalogued

If you are looking for varieties that are not catalogued, it will pay you to write to me before ordering elsewhere, as I carry a large list of uncatalogued varieties, my stock being insufficient to warrant me to catalogue these varieties. If you have any variety in mind that you do not see listed, I will be pleased to have you write me. I have 500 clumps of expensive Dahlias, one or two of each kind that are not catalogued.

Our Wonderful Collections

\$5.00 COLLECTION

Amun Ra
Ben Wilson
Cigarette
Alex Waldie
Lotus
Mr. Crowley
Junior
Mephistopheles
Gen. Miles
Glorieux
Pride of California
Col. Mudford
John Lewis Childs
Royal Purple

\$10.00 COLLECTION

Abonita
Contrast Grath
Jersey Beauty
Jersey Pride
Jersey King
Jersey Beacon
Judge Marean
Glory of New Haven
Yellow Gem
Wander Pink
Pride of San Francisco
Wm. H. Slocombe
Tom Mix
Susan Tevis
Edith Slocombe
Champagne
Silver Tips
Mass. Fancy
John Leman
Rosa Nell

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Alice Whittier
The Bandit
City of Lawrence
City of Everett
Elite Glory
Elinor Vanderveer
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Faith Garibaldi
Harry Sheldon, Jr.
Iriana
Mrs. Eleanor Martin
Mrs. Chas. Redding
Polar Snow
Queen of the Garden Beautiful
Radio
Rollo Boy
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Sanhican's Glory
Sunny California

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Alice Whittier
Alexander Pope
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Eagle Rock Beauty
Elite Glory
Eliza Clarke Bull
Edna Ferber
Elizabeth Ford
Eva Cole
Flamelick
Golden Emblem
Ian
Jersey Mammoth
Margaret Woodrow Wilson
Marmion
Mrs. Henry Foley
Queen of Garden Beautiful
Shirley Eileen Shattuck
Gold Ore
Red Sox
Somerset

New and Up-to-Date Dahlias for 1928

BECKETT'S ORIENTAL. Dec. (Murphy.) Don't overlook this near perfect yellow and red new creation. The flower on opening is dark red with gold tips and when about half matured it is half red and half yellow. At full bloom red dominates again. The flowers are very large, never showing an open center. Prolific bloomer on the best of stem named for The Beckett's Oriental Candy Co., Shelby, Ohio. Tubers, \$15.00; Plants, \$7.50

ALL YELLOW. Dec. (Murphy.) In this new sensation Mr. Murphy says he has produced one real yellow that will stand up under its color as the best yellow to date. We have lots of yellows but this is a perfect yellow. Just one clean clear yellow tone. Unusually large, eight to ten inches. It is a profuse bloomer and has long wiry stems held well above foliage. Tubers, \$15.00; Plants, \$7.50

BABY PINK BEAUTY. Dec. (Murphy.) This is the finest solid pink ever put on the market. I have grown this flower for the past two seasons and it truly is a wonder on long good stems. Mr. Murphy says six to eight inches in size but I had one ten inches and one nine. This flower is held well above the foliage. The color of mine were truly wonderful as I had it in bloom right near the salt water. No collection is complete without this one. Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

NANAQUAKET. Dec. (Mrs. Richards.) An immense bloom of extraordinary beauty. The color is a most beautiful shade of delicate orchid pink, each petal bordered with a hair line of deeper color. Petals are deep and broad with fine placement. Plants in our stock garden are covered with eight to nine inch blooms, and slight disbudding will bring the size up to ten or twelve inches. Stems are fine for so large a flower and it is a profuse bloomer. Height 4 to 5 feet. \$10.00

TOKAR. Dec. (Mrs. Richards.) Huge deep blossoms of velvety geranium pink with tones of begonia rose, the centers carrying a hint of amaranth purple. This slightly purple tone is noticeable in the whole flower after the sun has left the plants, at which time they are particularly lovely. Foliage is heavy and rubbery and seems to be pest proof. Another very free bloomer. \$10.00

EILEEN FRANCO. H. C. (Mrs. Richards.) A good size, but not enormous flower, that is extra fine for cutting, as it is such a free bloomer and good keeper on stiff stems. The color is a clear Hermosa pink, without shadings. Considered by Newport gardeners as one of the loveliest pinks for vase and basket work. \$2.50

JUPITER. Dec. (Mrs. Richards.) Very large blooms of lemon yellow, reverse of opening petals Jasper red, giving whole flower a deeper yellow tone. Plants are strong and healthy, of medium height producing four to six big flowers at a time, on long heavy stems. \$5.00

RALPH S. BAUER. H. C. (Roach.) This is a very attractive Dahlia and has made a big hit at the western trial gardens. Flowers grow very large, and to quote Dr. Faulk he says, (Red hybrid cactus reverse tan, an extra good all round Dahlia, garden, exhibition, or cut variety, best of habits, bloom early and has right up to frost.) This Dahlia will be in great demand as soon as known and will be a prize winner. Petals are very long and narrow. Best of stems and well above the foliage. Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

JEAN M. MISSUD. H. C. (Roach.) It gives me great pleasure to name this variety for one of our greatest musical conductors, known the world over, and is entering his fiftieth year as conductor of the Salem Cadet Band which he has made famous. This Dahlia will not grow as large as some varieties, but its beauty more than makes up for its size. It is a very robust growing plant and a profused bloomer. Has stems that can be cut extra long if wanted. The color is very hard to describe as it has four colors. As the flowers open it shows a very rich yellow with white tip, but as the blooms mature it changes to yellow center shading to pink with the white tip reverse of petals shows streaks of salmon and white tip. Will catch the eye as soon as you enter the garden.
Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

MRS. IDA L. DANFORTH. H. C. (Roach.) Another very fine Dahlia that will be sure to please. Plants have best of habits and grows very bushy. Will produce large blooms if disbudded. Color is a beautiful shade of cerise. Reverse is sort of silver. Blooms early and freely with good stems.
Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

GOLDEN OCHRE. Peo. (Roach.) This Dahlia gets its name from its color, and is one of the very best in the peony class. Also won first prize at the Mitchell, Nebraska, Show the past season for the best and most perfect Dahlia in the peony class. I have grown this Dahlia eleven inches with very little care. Color is golden ochre with salmon reverse. Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.50

SEA-SHELL. Dec. In this variety we have a very beautiful flower, a very profused bloomer and holds a fine tight center all season long. Blooms grow from eight to nine inches diameter, has long stiff stems. Color is shell pink, shading to white, the outer petals being edged light purple and covered with a golden sheen.
Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

THE CHEMAR'S PURITY. A most perfect white decorative seedling from Jersey's Beauty which it resembles in everything but color. The petals are long and straight, the center excellent, and size immense. Stems extra long and stiff holding flowers high up above a strong sturdy plant. When the flowers first open they show a slight trace of ivory near the center. This gradually changes to a pure white at maturity. Certificate at the A. D. S. Trial Grounds in 1927 and scored eighty-six (86) at the Nebraska Trial Grounds.
Tubers, \$10.00

CHEMAR'S MASTERPIECE. A huge incurved cactus flower of orchid pink or soft orchid coloring which everyone knows. The flowers are extra large of perfect form, under all conditions; are so placed on extra long stems that they show their beauty to the best advantage. It is a seedling of Mrs. I. de Ver Warner and a counterpart in every way except Masterpiece is an incurved English cactus producing ten-inch flowers in abundance. This has won a certificate at the N. J. Trial Grounds.
Tubers, \$10.00

CHEMAR'S QUEEN. Dec. A very large bright yellow. A color that you will never tire of: there is no trace of any other color in the flower. Average nine inches without forcing; the large flowers are held perfectly erect on the long cane stiff stems. As a seedling L. C. a twelve-inch flower, won the certificate for the best Dahlia not in commerce. This was in 1923. The bush is a vigorous grower of average height, and is particularly striking in the garden because of the sharp contrast between the quantities of yellow blooms rising well up above the heavy dark green foliage. The flowers keep a long time when cut. It will grow in water. We firmly believe that this **CHEMAR'S QUEEN** will be one of the most popular Dahlias when it becomes generally known. This has won a certificate at the A. D. S. Trial Grounds in 1927.
Tubers, \$10.00

OYSTER BAY'S RUBY. A rich ruby red perfectly formed decorative flower, held erect on a two-foot stem that is as stiff as a cane. It never shows a center. Flowers average, without forcing, eight to nine inches. A limited number.
Tubers, \$5.00

CHEMAR'S CHARM. A salmon pink decorative with all the habits of Jersey's Beauty. The medium size flowers are held facing on the best of stems and the plant is a robust grower. The fact that we use it for cut flowers is enough recommendation as to its color, stem, size or flower and productiveness.

\$2.50

OYSTER BAY'S BEAUTY. Dec. For the past four years we have watched this wonderful Dahlia growing in the private gardens of Mr. Devine. The rich dark velvety color would attract any Dahlia lover. We have made arrangements to introduce this beautiful Dahlia after hearing all the favorable comment at Bronx Park and Storrs where it scored 84 in 1925. The plants are literally covered with the extra large flowers from early season until frost. The flower is so placed on the top of the long stems that it can be arranged to the best advantage in a vase and they show their beauty in the garden. We do not know of any Dahlia of its color that would compare with it. If you want a winner grow Oyster Bay Beauty. Certificate N. W. Trial Grounds.

Tubers, \$5.00

WINIFRED DEVINE. A bright rose pink decorative that scored 84 at Storrs in 1925. The beautiful flowers are held facing on long straight stems. No collection is complete without this wonderful Dahlia as it has a color all its own and must be seen to be admired.

Tubers, \$3.00

CHEMAR'S U. S. A. For several years we have been experimenting to get a full center Dahlia the color of U. S. A. We have succeeded in this 1924 seedling. The blooms of this Dahlia are very deep and large with an air tight center. Stems are long and stiff as a poker and hold the flowers erect. The color is like the parent apricot buff-suffused gold. Good for all purposes.

Tubers, \$10.00

DAHLIAS—Alphabetically Listed

A

AFRICAN. H. C. New introduction. The form is nearly that of the true cactus, a very graceful incurved flower. Color one of the darkest to date, a very dark maroon. Listed for the first time. Only a few roots for sale. **\$5.00**

AYESHA. Dec. Clear, light yellow, of beautiful, regular form. Strong plant, vigorous grower and free bloomer. Fine for commercial purposes.

Tubers, \$0.25

AGINCOURT. Dec. A very large decorative of a deep velvety purple bronze, brightened on outer petals with purple garnet. A free bloomer on stiff stems. It is one of the most attractive dark varieties.

Tubers, \$0.75

A. D. LIVONI. S. Color a clear, cerise pink. The flowers are very well formed, and are borne on long stems.

\$0.25 each; \$2.50 dozen

AMUN RA (The Sun God). Dec. Outer petals of this monstrous flower are of gorgeous shades of copper and orange, shaded gold and amber, deepening to a bronzy center. Extra stout erect stems.

Tubers, \$0.60

ALEX. WALDIE. Dec. Immense flowers on good stems of a lovely cream and salmon pink combination. Beautiful form.

Tubers, \$0.40

AMERICAN BEAUTY. Dec. A seedling from the well known French variety, Le Colosse, being almost identical in form, shape and size. The flowers are of gigantic size and are produced on long, heavy stems, well above the foliage. The color is a gorgeous wine-crimson.

\$0.25 each

- ANNABELL.** Dec. A seedling from Mrs. Calvin Coolidge. A very large flower with a good stem. Color, rose pink. Tubers, \$0.50
- AURORA B.** Dec. Large and fine form on slender wiry stems. Color, reddish purple, with white collars of tiny petals between the layers. Tubers, \$0.75
- AMETHYST SUPREME.** H. C. Something new in formation of petal and color. Going on the market in 1925 for the first time. Picture a very delicate amethyst shade, fine built flower on long stems. Nice high plant with the very best of foliage, large and full, of the mule hybrid family, air-tight center, always more petals coming. The construction of the flower is new and attracts your attention. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ALICE WHITTIER.** H. C. The best yellow to date and winner of the President Cup at Boston, 1924. A strong, robust grower, extra large, nine and ten inches in diameter and five and six inches deep. Color, primrose yellow with a golden glow at base of petals. The flowers are held erect on long, stiff stems. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ADDA PATTERSON.** H. C. Flowers are pure white; average eight to nine inches in diameter. Splendid keeper. An all around white Dahlia. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ALEXANDER POPE.** H. C. Giant prize winner. Beautiful crimson face, with magenta reverse, making a lovely combination, due to the unusual twisting of the petals. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- AMARILLO GRANDE.** H. D. A large flower of light yellow and compared with Sunny South the petals are more broad and the flowers are much larger, in fact they are enormous. Produces freely. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ANDREAS HOFER.** C. One of the finest I have ever seen. A very large flower on a perfect stem and a great keeper. Color, bright, warm, vivid color with carmine yellow center. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- AUORE.** Dec. Large flower of orange buff; good stems and keeper. Very fine. Tubers, \$0.40
- AIBONITA.** Dec. Flowers of immense size, on long, graceful stems. Color, a bright glowing pink shading to a rich golden yellow at the center. The flowers are deep and well formed. Tubers, \$0.75

B

- BABA BOTT.** H. C. A new pink and white hybrid of immense size. Requires constant cutting as it blooms so freely. An excellent garden Dahlia of dwarf, bush-like growth. Tubers, \$0.40
- BERTHA STORY.** Dec. A deep rose-pink with occasionally flowers showing white petals. Remarkably free bloomer. \$0.35 each; 3 for \$1.00
- BRIDE'S BOUQUET.** H. An ideal white cactus and profuse bloomer, extra long stem, and a Dahlia that stands up well when cut. Tubers, \$0.35
- BRIDAL VEIL.** Dec. A pure white flower and a good bloomer. Tubers, \$0.50
- BETTY AUSTIN.** A lovely variety that is in a class by itself. Color, yellow at base of petal, blending to rosy carmine and rose, yellow at tips; reflex rose. A combination at once pleasing and effective. The flowers are of good size and splendid form, borne erect to facing on long stiff, slender stems, well above the foliage. An early, free and continuous bloomer. The plant is dwarf, three to four feet high, of branching habit. A wonderful commercial cut flower and an ideal garden plant. It is entirely distinct and will find its way into every collection. Tubers, \$0.50

BIANCA. New, of large size and fine form. A vigorous grower. Color, beautiful rose lilac with flowers on strong erect stems; white shadings.

Tubers, \$0.25

BEN WILSON. Dec. A grand variety of large size with excellent stems. Color is a bright buff, heavily shaded with rich red and also tipped with yellow. Very attractive as a garden plant or on exhibition.

Tubers, \$0.50

BONNIE BRAE. Dec. Cream, shaded blush pink; the flowers are of true decorative form and immense in size, but not suitable for cutting as the enormous flowers are apt to be too heavy for the stem.

Tubers, \$0.50

BASHFUL GIANT (Marean). Dec. This is the largest flowering Dahlia ever produced. Color, an apricot with golden shadings.

Tubers, \$0.75

BREAK O' DAY. H. C. A good sized flower with a full high center, and with more or less curved and twisted petals, intermingled with the flatter ones, forming a most attractive and graceful bloom. In color a clear sulphur yellow, shading to a lighter shade at the tips; early and free blooming.

Tubers, \$0.35

BOSTON WHITE. D. Has proven to be one of the greatest whites ever produced, improving with age, and the best white you will ever buy for the money. Pure white, large full flower, center air tight, great plant and stems. Try one; you can't lose.

Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

BLACK JACK. D. A very dark maroon, almost black; flowers are extremely large with long, stout stems; don't burn.

Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

BILLIONAIRE. Peo. Orange. Of a distinct golden shade; and one of the largest of its kind; a garden variety.

Tubers, \$0.50

BALLET GIRL. C. Orange, sometimes edged, marked or shading to white, pure orange at times; a very attractive flower.

Tubers, \$0.75

BOB PLEUSE. H. Dec. Crimson, tipped white. This is not very large but is true all season.

Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

C

CHIC. Dec. A beautiful new Dahlia that is in great demand. Color, bright, deep rose, a real live color. A giant hybrid in form. Blooms upright on good stems. One of the best Dahlias that I grow.

Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

CRIMSON GIANT. Dec. Richest, glowing red. A very vigorous grower.

Tubers, \$0.25

CITY OF LAWRENCE. Dec. This is the best yellow decorative to date. Everyone that visited my garden the past season was more than taken up with size and color of this flower. I had nine flowers at one time on one bush in September. The largest blossom eight inches in diameter. It scored 88 points at Storrs in 1923 and 89 at Hyattsville, Md., in 1924. Everyone should grow this flower as no garden is complete without it.

Tubers, \$1.50; Plants, \$1.00

COFFEE CREAM. Dec. Very unusual color, coffee. Fine stems and free bloomer.

Tubers, \$0.60

COUNTESS OF LONSDALE. C. Salmon red to old rose. One of the most reliable and satisfactory Dahlias ever grown.

Tubers, \$0.25

CURLEW. C. Old rose, a distinct and pleasing self-color, massive full flowers, very long florets incurving right over center. Splendid size and shape. Strong flower stems, free bloomer.

Tubers, \$1.00

CIGARETTE. H. C. This Dahlia is best described as creamy white, heavily edged orange, but no two flowers are exactly alike. The petals are long and narrow and inclined to roll. Bloom is large and of good substance. Solid color flowers are scarce on bushes of this variety, but when they occur, are of pure orange. Tubers, **\$0.60**

CITY OF PEABODY. H. C. Beautiful deep wine shade, veined white, reverse of petals silver. Good stems, flowers large and full to center. **\$1.50**

CHAMPAGNE. Dec. This is a very large and beautiful flower. The color is rare and delightful, warm autumn shades varying from burnished copper to a dull golden champagne and chamois. The bushes are covered with massive blooms which are held on long rigid stems and lasting well when cut. Tubers, **\$1.00**

CATHERINE COOPER. Dec. This is one of our favorites both on account of its beautiful color, which is a rosy lavender, and its habit of profuse blooming. This color description does not do it justice, as there is something about it you cannot describe, so many linger by it in the garden and say "wonderful." The stems are fine and the flower stands high above the foliage. Tubers, **\$0.75**

CHARLES STRATTON. D. A new combination, salmon pink and yellow buff shades that blend and make a nice unusual flower, very large and attractive. This is one new Dahlia you should grow. Tubers, **\$2.00**; Plants, **\$1.00**

CATHERINE WILCOX. Dec. In this we have a medium sized flower of very refined form and a most attractive color; white, points of petals tipped cerise. Very free bloomer. Tubers, **\$0.50**

CITY OF EVERETT. Dec. A large yellow on good long stem. Grows eight inches without disbudding. Stock limited as this is a new seedling. A distinct flower of wavy, shaggy petals. Beautiful light yellow, different from the rest. Tubers, **\$4.00**; Plants, **\$2.00**

CLARA SEATON. S. Yellow, of a golden bronze shade. A gigantic flower on long stiff stems. An exhibition variety. Tubers, **\$0.35**

COHASSET SUPREME. (Suggs.) Dec. This is a very large lavender pink, with lighter shadings. The stem is perfect, very tall plant, free flowering and will not burn in the sun. Stock is limited as to tubers but will supply green plants. Net. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

C. P. R. Dec. An immense flower. Color, buff yellow and magenta. Odd handsome flower on good stems. Tubers, **\$3.50**; Plants, **\$1.75**

CHOU. Dec. A giant bloom of white, heavily edged rose pink. A first-class flower for exhibition. Tubers, **\$0.75**

CALIFORNIA ENCHANTRESS. C. Flowers of very large size, of a delightful shade of soft pink borne on stiff wiry stems in great profusion. Tubers, **\$0.70**

CALIFORNIA SUPERBA. Dec. Claimed, with good reason, to be the largest light pink Dahlia. The bloom is composed of narrow petals of a delicate pink and without blue tones, shading to white at the center. Free bloomer on good stem. Retains its center all season. Tubers, **\$0.90**

CLARA FINGER. Dec. Giant Dec. Butter yellow, edged pinkish buff. Tubers, **\$0.50**

D

DELLA V. POTTER. Dec. A fine grower and flowerer. An immense bloom of a pleasing shade of lavender, with slight sheen. Some of the flowers come self-colored, some are lavender base with other half of floral rays bluish white, others are bluish with lovely pink veination. Tubers, **\$1.00**

- D. M. MOORE.** Dec. Rich dark velvety maroon, almost black. Very large, free and of good form. Tubers, \$0.30
- DR. TEVIS.** Dec. A beautiful shade of soft salmon rose, suffused with old gold, shading to a golden apricot center. One of the largest grown, the immense flowers being held erect on fine, long vigorous stems. Tubers, \$0.40
- DR. BARNES.** H. Dec. This is a heavy petaled Dahlia, growing from seven to eight inches in diameter. Color, a rich turkey red on face of petals, while reverse side is veined with a blending of the red to the yellow. When sun shines on flower it has a beautiful dusting of gold over the face of petals. Hardy and strong in nature, and is a desirable bloom because of its rich coloring. Foliage good, stems strong. A wonderful garden variety. Tubers, \$0.50
- DARLENE.** Dec. The earliest of all Dahlias to bloom. Plant, dwarf and branching. Color, shell pink, shading to white center. Excellent for cutting. Tubers, \$0.25
- DADDY BUTLER.** H. C. This is a very large hybrid cactus of the truest form for exhibition and a wonderful cut flower. Colors are of the American Beauty shades or rosy carmine. The petals are twisted and rolled showing a lighter tint. The stem is perfect and bushes are always covered with extra large perfect blooms, which last for days when cut. Fine exhibition flower. Tubers, \$1.00
- DEAN HULBERT.** Dec. One of the beautiful autumn shade flowers. Apricot in color. Good bloomer and good stem. Tubers, \$0.50
- DREER'S WHITE.** S. Snow white flowers of perfect form borne in great profusion. Stems pendant. \$0.25
- DREER'S YELLOW.** S. A beautiful rich deep sulphur yellow of perfect form. Blooms well above the foliage. Often measuring seven inches in diameter. Similar to Dreer's White in form and a very healthy grower. \$0.30

E

- ELIZABETH FORD.** Dec. A new creation and one of the best on the market today. A very rich raspberry red color, of giant size held on very long stiff stems. Free bloomer. Stock short. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00
- EAGLE ROCK SUNSHINE.** C. The color is a deeper shade of yellow than Sunny South. The flowers are larger than that variety and are held perfectly erect on strong stems. It shows no tendency to become pendant even under the most unfavorable conditions, and produced blooms full to the center until frost. It is unquestionably the BEST YELLOW CACTUS DAHLIA. Height, five feet. Tubers, \$6.00; Plants, \$3.00
- EAGLE ROCK BEAUTY.** H. D. A more beautiful combination of pink and cream than is displayed in this glorious creation would be difficult to imagine. No picture or description of this giant wonder can do it justice. It's in a class by itself, and unanimously admired by all who have seen it. Every grower who sees this magnificent flower will want it. It is vigorous in growth, with good habit, and strong stems holding perfectly erect the immense blooms which are full to the center, and produced in abundance until frost. Height, four feet. Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00
- EAGLE ROCK JEWEL.** H. C. Cream, overlaid cameo pink. Considered by many as the most beautiful in color of any Dahlia. The large flowers are borne on strong stems; vigorous grower and free bloomer. Plants, \$15.00
- ELKRIDGE.** H. C. A most beautiful white hybrid cactus. Strong stem, robust grower, great substance, free continuous bloomer, and one of the best commercial varieties in existence. Prize winner. Tubers, \$3.00

- ELKRIDGE GEM.** Dec. Is one of the most beautiful lavender Dahlias—well formed and poised on a fine strong stem. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ELKRIDGE PEARL.** Dec. This will be a very popular variety either for exhibition or garden. True to name it is a beautiful pink and white. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- EL. GRANADA.** H. C. Large hybrid cactus variety. Color, orange with yellow reverse. Tubers, \$2.50
- ESTHER HUNT.** H. C. Bright orange, large and full, very attractive flower on good stems; excellent for exhibition and something odd in color shade. Tubers, \$1.50
- EMILY JOHNSON.** H. C. A very large flower, good bloomer. Color, lavender. Should be in every collection. Tubers, \$0.50
- ETHEL M.** H. C. (Success.) A very large, beautiful flower. I grew this flower ten inches in diameter this past season without disbudding. Everybody who saw this flower was enthusiastic over it. Should be in every garden. Color, glowing amaranth at the base of the large perfectly quilled petals, shading lighter at tips with white center. Tubers, \$1.00
- EDITH SLOCOMBE.** H. C. This Dahlia is finely formed on long wiry stem, of a wonderful shade of rich, purplish, garnet shaded, velvet maroon, a most wonderful striking flower. Tubers, \$0.75
- EARL WILLIAMS.** Dec. The flower is immense, form perfect. In color, the base half of the petals are brilliant crimson scarlet, the point half of the petals white. The variation in the flowers is one of its greatest charms. It is one of the earliest, most constant and last to bloom. The demand for this variety is great and stock limited. Tubers, \$1.00
- EVA COLE.** Dec. A beautiful red and gold Dahlia, one of Mr. Murphy's latest introductions. Flowers extra large and full, splendid stems. An excellent exhibition flower. Also good for cutting. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- ELSIE OLIVER.** H. C. This is one of the most beautiful Dahlias we have in our gardens. As nearly as we can describe the coloring, it is a creamy pink, shading to cream in the center. The blossoms are very large and well formed, with long evenly rolled petals and a good center. A wonderful variety for the garden or exhibition. Tubers, \$1.00
- EL DORADO.** Dec. This is one of the finest varieties for garden, exhibition and cutting, on the market. The blossoms are a vivid gold, with deeper tones at the base of the petals. A flower of great substance and keeping quality. The bushes are laden with immense golden blooms, which stand on strong, stiff stems, well above the foliage; is admired by everyone who visits our garden. Tubers, \$1.50
- EASTERN STAR.** Dec. This is a wonderful large heavy, well formed flower; soft shadings of real old gold, on good stems. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25
- ELIZA CLARK BULL.** Dec. California's best white, that has made quite a hit on this side of the U. S. A. Medium high and a free bloomer, of good heavy, close built flower, with the best of stem, and one you need in your garden. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00
- ELLINOR VANDERVEER.** Dec. Rose pink. Handsome large flower that grows on two foot stems well above the foliage. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25
- ELSIE DANIELS.** H. C. The color of this wonderful Dahlia is a pale orchid shade on the outer petals, which are long and shaggy; the center white. A nice built flower on good stems. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25
- ELBERON BEAUTY.** Dec. As its name indicates, a beauty. A large exhibition of soft apricot, shading to a darker tone toward the center; perfect stem and excellent keeper. Tubers, \$1.25

ELITE GLORY. Dec. The sensation of N. Y. Show in 1924. A monstrous flower of a brilliant rich red. Its blooms and foliage are gigantic in size, yet pleasing and graceful. Winner of numerous prizes, and scoring 92 Ex. at Storrs and recommended for the Gold Medal. A wonderful keeper. Cannot be surpassed for spectacular effect for Ex., or in the garden. ,

Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

EDNA FERBER. H. C. The new 1927 creation of Fisher & Masson which needs no further credentials, as all their introductions have been Dahlias of beauty. This Dahlia was awarded a Certificate of Merit at the trial garden, 1926. Coloring of this fine variety is very pleasing, salmon shading to gold. A good Dahlia with the best of stems.

Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75

F

FLAMELICK. Dec. And another silver cup seedling. Most growers say we have enough reds, but when you see a new red with different construction, a little different shade, we all want it, even if we do have quite a few. This is a very beautiful, brilliant flame red flower on the end of the best of stems, looking you full in the face. Free bloomer of large size. The petals seem to have a transparent tissue sheen that you don't see in other reds, it is something new. Great exhibition and cut flower.

Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

FORT WASHINGTON. Dec. Here is a Dahlia that can and has won many prizes of the largest in the show. Very seldom less than ten inches without forcing. The larger flowers are held perfectly erect on long cane stiff stems. Winner of many prizes in all classes for decoratives. Has size, refinement, a free bloomer, and the color is a most charming deep maroon. We guarantee this Dahlia to make good anywhere. It will win for you.

Tubers, \$7.00; Plants, \$3.50

FIRELIGHT. Dec. Beautiful large flower, carried on stiff stems, base yellow, petals tipped red; one of the new creations that have come to stay.

Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

FAITH GARIBALDI. (Garibaldi-Boston.) Dec. This prize winner is a wonder for color, as the giant blooms are of a deep rose color, shading lighter on the outer petals. The blooms are held aloft on strong stems. Certainly a marvelous Dahlia.

Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25

FARNCOT. C. This variety received a certificate at Storrs, Conn., Trial Garden in 1924, scoring 86 points, and won first prize at the New York Show in 1926. We have never grown any Dahlia that will out-bloom this one. We counted over fifty blooms and buds showing color on one plant last season and they will keep for days and days after cutting. The color is aster purple, with a majority of the blossoms tipped white. The stems are perfect with flower carried on top. Stock limited.

Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25

G

GOLD ORE. Dec. A new seedling just out and one that will be very popular in years to come. A large gold colored flower with darker shadings. Has a good stem and is good bloomer.

Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

GEISHA. H. C. The most striking color combination, golden yellow, changing to bright scarlet at the center of petal and back to gold at tip. Giant flowers on long wiry stems.

Tubers, \$0.35

GEORGE WALTER. H. C. One of the largest Dahlias ever introduced. Very free flowering. A pleasing shade of salmon pink shading to yellow at base.

Tubers, \$0.50

- GORGEOUS.** Peo. The color is yellow, shading to bright scarlet. With scarcely any disbudding it will produce ten-inch flowers on stems five feet long. Plant grows very tall. Tubers, \$0.50
- GLADYS SHERWOOD.** H. A pure white beauty, with good stems. Tubers, \$0.50
- G. H. CARR.** Dec. A wonderful garden and exhibition variety. Color, deep purple, sometimes tipped with white. Flowers large and of good substance. Tubers, \$0.30
- GRACE ALLEN FAY.** Dec. This variety is fine for cutting. Flowers large and full on good stems. Color, rosy crimson, shading darker at center. Tubers, \$0.50
- GLORIEUX.** Dec. This is a flower of attractive beauty. Yellow, deepening to bronze in the center; petals sometimes tipped with white. Fine stems. The large flowers and foliage of an olive green form a beautiful plant. Tubers, \$0.50
- GOLDEN WEST.** C. An American cactus of great merit because of its size, coloring, stem and keeping qualities when cut. The color is uncommon, a striking shade of old gold. Tubers, \$0.40
- GOLDEN WEST.** H. S. Large and distinct; high full center, with petals notched at tips. Color, a clear primrose yellow. \$0.25
- GLORY OF NEW HAVEN.** Dec. Large blooms of pinkish mauve. A seedling of the well known Mildred Slocombe, sturdy grower. Good for exhibition. \$0.50
- GOLDEN RULE.** Dec. A very large deep orange-red that made quite a hit. Extra good for exhibition. Tubers, \$1.00
- GRENADIER.** Dec. A purplish maroon and silver reverse flower that is somewhat unique; held aloft on good long stems. A Dahlia that will improve your garden. Tubers, \$2.00
- GRACE SHERMAN.** Dec. A new creation of much merit. Delicate pink, shading to cream, with light orange in center. Large and full on good stems. One of Meachen & Sherman's sensations. While they last. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00
- GLADYS BATES.** C. A huge cut flower of perfect form with incurved petals. Color, tan with rose reverse. A Dahlia of real merit. Tubers, \$0.75
- GEE WHIZ.** H. C. This is a strong, vigorous grower, a free bloomer, soft buff shaded with salmon, immense size and fine form. Tubers, \$1.00
- GOVERNOR TRUMBULL.** Dec. A strong growing plant with large full flowers carried on long stems way above the foliage. Color is pink, faintly tinged mauve. Stock limited. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- GOLDEN EMBLEM.** Dec. Clear golden yellow without shading of any trace or any other color. One of the largest, purest yellow Dahlias in existence. Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00
- GAY PAREE.** C. Golden bronze, suffused red. Very fine; upright. Tubers, \$0.60
- GENERAL MILES.** H. S. An enormous flower. Color, light violet, striped and spotted with purplish magenta. One of the finest exhibition varieties. Tubers, \$0.30

H

- HALLOWEEN.** Dec. (Broomall) This strong growing variety produces an abundance of large blooms on rigid stems. Color, buff yellow shaded orange, similar to King of the Autumn but much larger. Tubers, \$0.50

- HARLAN.** Dec. Extra large yellow. Fine plant and good stems on the Estelle Christy type; much better. Tubers, **\$1.25**
- HARRY MAYER.** Dec. Pale rosoline purple, reverse of petals veined with a deeper shade. Blooms are a fine formation, held erect on stiff stems. Tubers, **\$10.00**; Plants, **\$5.00**
- HELVELLA.** In this we have a charming rose pink Dahlia. The huge blossoms are held erect on strong, upright stems well above the foliage. This Dahlia should be planted in every garden. Tubers, **\$0.90**
- HERALD-TRIBUNE ELITE.** Dec. This remarkable White named by one of the Editors of the New York Herald at the American Dahlia Society Show, New York, 1925, where it won the coveted Garden & Home Builder Magazine Sweepstakes for Best Dahlia Never Before Exhibited in New York. Herald-Tribune Elite scored 86 exhibition at New Jersey Trial Grounds, 1925. It is a rich pure white decorative of splendid form and wonderful keeping qualities—on extra fine stems. The plants are thrifty growers with heavy dark green foliage. Tubers, **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**
- HIS MAJESTY.** Dec. Bright scarlet, and one of our latest new reds that hit well last season. Extra large flowers with good stems. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- HELEN KELLER.** Peo. This is one of the finest pink peony Dahlias grown. Its size is immense and on good stems, being a free bloomer. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- HARRY SHELDON, JR.** Dec. Tom Murphy's new sensational seedling Dahlia, a pink and white decorative of enormous size and great depth; a wonderful exhibition flower. Tubers, **\$4.00**; Plants, **\$2.00**
- HENRY FORD.** Dec. A deep red flower, large, eight inches in diameter, good stem. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- HORTULANUS FIET.** Dec. A colossal flowered variety with blooms over eight inches in diameter, of the most delicate shade of shrimp pink, the tip of each petal barely touched with gold. The entire flower has a suffusion of delicate tints of red and yellow, which give a glow, yet softness of color difficult to describe. Tubers, **\$0.40**

I

- ITALIAN SUNSET.** Dec. (Beatrice.) This wonderful novelty created quite a first prize for best vase of seedlings. Color, cream to yellow background, with shades of mauve-pink orchid, rose and cerise, all blending, and radiating from a full center. Large flower eight-ten inches held erect on long stiff stems. Tubers, **\$7.50**; Plants, **\$3.75**
- IRIANA.** (Baker.) The deepest, darkest shade of maroon, almost black. The buds upon opening are black. Long, strong erect stems, a wonderful keeper, making a great cut flower. Does not sunburn. Tubers, **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**
- INSULINDE.** H. D. One of finest and most artistic Dahlias of distinct form with petals twisted and curled. Stems are two or three feet long and flowers nine to ten inches across. Color, a rich saffron yellow shaded russet orange. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- ISABEL STREET.** Dec. A grand new variety, that has attracted the greatest attention of visitors at our farms and whenever exhibited. The flowers are large, extremely full to the center, while the outer petals reflex to the stem. Color at base bright yellow, shading to bright rose red, with white tips; reflex pale pink. The flowers are of heavy texture and borne facing on long cane stiff stems. The plant is strong, vigorous of upright branching habit, five to six feet high, producing the big, long stem bloomers freely and continuously. A wonderful exhibition flower. **\$0.50**

ISLAM PATROL. H. C. Very dark velvet, scarlet tipped heavily with yellow. Well recommended. Tubers, **\$1.00**

IAN. C. This Dahlia has great form, perfectly incurved. It is like a giant English cactus, but petals are much coarser. A beautiful clear yellow gradually shading pink on the outer rows of petals. It has a good long stem holding the flower well up. Blooms freely and sometimes comes tipped white. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

J

JAMES G. GILL. Dec. A large flower on good stem. Suffused and blended yellow and red. Great cut flower. Tubers, **\$0.60**

JEAN CHAZOT OR GAY PAREE. H. C. One of the very finest of all the autumn-tinted cactus varieties for cutting as well as for garden decoration. The flowers are of good size, very graceful formation, held on stiff, long stems in such a manner that they show the full flower to best advantage. The color is a capucine or nastursium red with golden suffusion, frequently tipped with golden yellow. Tubers, **\$0.75**

JERSEY'S KING. Dec. Color, Begonia rose. Much admired in the fields. A model flower in all respects. A good bloomer and erect on good stems. Tubers, **\$0.60**

JERSEY'S BEAUTY. Dec. Very fine true pink. Flowers large and of perfect shape, produced on long, straight, stiff stems. Very free bloomer and a splendid keeper. Certificate American Dahlia Society, 1923. Tubers, **\$0.75** net

JERSEY'S JEWEL. Dec. Mallow pink, very large, long petaled flowers, on good stems. A splendid exhibition variety, flowers can be had nine inches without disbudding. Certificated A. D. S. 1923. Winner of many first prizes the past year. Tubers, **\$2.00**; Plants, **\$1.00**

JERSEY'S PRIDE. Dec. A seedling between King of Autumn and George Walters, possessing the good qualities of both, a splendid grower and a very free bloomer. The large flowers which are a fine blending of yellow, amber and pink are borne on long straight stems, well above the foliage. It is a splendid cut flower, a good exhibition variety, and a most attractive garden plant. Certificated A. D. S. 1921, also highest awards California Trial Grounds, 1922. Tubers, **\$0.75**

JERSEY'S EMPRESS. Dec. Very large flower with a pleasing narrow wavy petal. Color, a new odd violet shade. Flowers are deep and don't burn. Tubers, **\$7.50**; Plants, **\$3.75**

JERSEY'S RADIANT. Dec. Large flowers produced on good stems, well above the foliage. Color, commonly called bittersweet orange, if you know what color that is you have it all over me. But never mind, it is good. Try one. Tubers, **\$1.50**

JERSEY'S BEACON. Dec. New shade of red called Chinese scarlet. Flowers are extra large on the best of stems. To me Waite's best. It showed all kinds of class in 1925. Tubers, **\$1.50**

JERSEY'S SOVEREIGN. Dec. Another grand Dahlia of a new and lovely color, salmon orange. Good size, best of stems, very profuse. Tubers, **\$2.50**

JERSEY'S MONARCH. Dec. A large deep blossom of deep salmon, with yellow base. Fine stem. Tubers, **\$2.50**

JERSEY'S MAMMOTH. H. C. A monster. Winner in largest bloom class at New York. A rich golden mahogany. Tubers, **\$1.50**

JACK-O-LANTERN. Dec. Spanish red, tipped gold. We think it the very best of the color. Best of stock, good bloomer, nice growing plants. Plants **\$3.75** only.

- JOHN ALDEN.** Dec. (Hodgens.) This Dahlia is splendid for exhibition and cutting. The blooms are a beautiful shade of royal purple, fine form, long, stiff stems, carrying the large flowers well above the foliage. The best in color.
Tubers, \$1.00
- JUDGE ALTON B. PARKER.** Dec. A wonderful exhibition variety of true decorative form. Very large flower grown on strong stems well above the foliage. Color is one of the most beautiful golden buff one would wish to see.
Tubers, \$0.50
- JOHN LEMAN.** Peo. A large flower. Color, light lavender. Tubers, \$1.00
- JERSEY'S CAPRICE.** Dec. A very odd autumn shade with fine stems holding flowers high and proud. Flower large and of good formation.
Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- JERSEY'S JEWEL.** Dec. In this flower we have a very nice shade of mellow pink. A large long-petaled flower, full of class and beauty.
Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00
- JERSEY'S IDEAL.** The color of this variety is best described as a lavender pink, although sometimes it is nearer lavender. The flowers are usually borne face up on the stem and the petals drooping gracefully down make a very deep and massive bloom. It is a vigorous grower, a very free bloomer and has an ideal stem.
Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75
- J. H. JACKSON.** C. An exceptionally satisfactory all-around Dahlia; one of the most prominent for garden decoration. Superb as a cut-flower variety, and equally good as an exhibition flower. In color a perfectly gorgeous, deep, velvety blackish-maroon. \$0.25
- J. W. DAVIES.** Dec. A wonderful 1921 introduction, a blossom which was entered last fall in all the winning collections of decoratives, a huge, massive flower with a splendid strong stem. The coloring is unusual, deep cerise at the base, shading lighter towards the tips of the petals.
Tubers, \$1.00
- JUDGE MAREAN.** (Marean.) Dec. A very large flower of perfect decorative shape. The colors changing as the flowers pass through different stages of development are a combination of glowing salmon-pink, red, iridescent orange, yellow and gold, all blending most harmoniously; it is an early and continuous bloomer on long perfect stems.
Tubers, \$0.75
- JOHN LEWIS CHILDS.** Dec. A good fancy Dahlia of California introduction. The blooms are large and well formed; in color, a yellow, striped and splashed with bright red. The flower will often be red with white tips and sometimes clear red. Free blooming and has good stems. \$0.50
- JUNIOR.** Dec. An enormous flower of pure lavender. This huge blossom is a seedling of The Millionaire, but has greater width, if not as full. A useful Dahlia in competition in the "Largest Dahlia" Class. Tubers, \$0.30 net
- JIM GEORGE.** Dec. The best red I have seen yet. A dark garnet velvet seedling of Mr. Murphy's. No garden is complete without this wonderful flower. Grows eight inches without disbudding and has fine stem.
Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

K

- KALIF.** H. C. This is a giant flowering variety. A truly majestic flower, frequently eight or nine inches in diameter of perfect cactus form. The color is pure scarlet.
Tubers, \$0.40
- KITTIE DUNLAP.** Dec. It is not only a beauty, but has every characteristic which endears it to a Dahlia grower. Blooms freely all season, has excellent keeping qualities; long, firm stems, immense size, and great substance. If this Dahlia did not have all these admirable qualities the coloring would make it popular as it is of the delightful shade of the American Beauty Rose.
Tubers, \$0.60

KING OF SHOWS. S. This is the largest yellow show Dahlia to date. It is grown on excellent stems, a very free bloomer. Tubers, \$0.75

KOHINOOR. H. C. Very dark maroon, perfect type of hybrid cactus, extra large in size, with the very best of stems. Tubers, \$1.00

KING SOLOMON. H. C. Beautiful orange buff. Fine stem. Tubers, \$1.00

L

LA RODA. Dec. Silvery rose pink. Large well formed flowers held erect on strong stem. One of the best. Plants, \$10.00

LAKE ERIE. Dec. The largest deep lavender decorative grown. \$0.25

LE GRAND MANITOU. Dec. (Charmet.) White, artistically striped, splashed and blotched a rich violet purple. The plants occasionally produce solid purple colored flowers which are very fine. A very broad massive flower of great depth, making it desirable for exhibition or garden purposes. Tubers, \$0.30

LADY HELEN. C. A very striking pinkish-red with suffusions of creamy-white running through it. Long stems and well formed blooms. \$0.75

LYMAN. Dec. A very beautiful large light lemon yellow, dwarf plant, three feet tall. Makes a beautiful hedge or can be grown in small tubs with beautiful effect. Flowers grow to eight inches with stiff stem. Tubers, \$1.00

LA FAVORITA. H. C. A splendid new variety, unexcelled in form, type, growing and flowering qualities; distinct in color, which is a beautiful brilliant salmon; shading from a dark reddish salmon in the center to a salmon pink at the twisted points. Form perfect, showing a full center even late in the season. Every bloom carried on a long stem high above the foliage. A first-class cut flower variety, and has taken its place alongside of the very best Dahlias of recent introduction. Tubers, \$0.30

LIBERTY BOND. Dec. A blending of buff, bronze, and salmon shades, very difficult to describe; the flowers are very large and attracted more attention than any other Dahlia in our garden the past season; stems are strong, always holding the flowers erect; and extra vigorous grower of branching habit; requires plenty of room and good culture to produce full centered flowers. Tubers, \$0.30

LORRAINE WOERNER. H. D. Creamy yellow and salmon pink, extra large flower on fine long stems; one of our new additions that look good. Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

LOTUS. A fine cut flower. The blossoms are large, shaped like a water lily. The color is flame or lively orange. \$0.50

LADY LYNDORA. Dec. (Lyndora Gardens.) Won Gold Medal at the Camden show of the Dahlia Society of New Jersey, 1926, for best undisseminated seedling. The color is a charming blend of pink and white. It is a good keeper, low growing bush and free bloomer. Wonderful large flowers for house decorating and exhibition. Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75

LAURINE. C. (Broomall.) An immense cactus Dahlia. It has fine stems and good habit throughout. Flowers are very large and perfect in their formation. Deep rich pink. A fine variety. Tubers, \$0.75

M

M. F. HEAPY. Dec. A very beautiful royal purple maroon. Fine cut flower with good stem and good keeper. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

MRS. GEO. A. SEXTON OF HAV-A-LOOK. D. P. Purplish plum maroon combination on good stems, very large and showy; petals' twist nice, making the flower deep and shaggy. One you should add to your collection. Tubers, \$2.00

MARGARET MASSON. Dec. A great silvery rose-pink, full of class in size, stem construction and color. It is one of the best Dahlias I had the pleasure of growing last season. It has all the good habits, and you make a mistake if you don't grow it. Tubers, \$1.00

MRS. EDWARD TAYLOR. Dec. One of the best of last season's new creations. Color, a wonderful cerise, mangenta shades. Giant flowers on perfect stems. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.50

MRS. ELEANOR MARTIN. Dec. Deep mulberry and rose Dahlia that blooms in the limelight always, and it is a shame to sell it so cheap. Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.50

MT. SHASTA. H. C. Shell pink with deeper shadings toward center of petals; large flowers borne on long stiff stems. One of the best. Tubers, \$0.50

MRS. JOHN L. GARDNER. (Fisher & Mason.) Very striking Dahlia of a blood red, evenly tipped white, very beautiful, of large size on long stems. Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

MRS. ALFRED I. DUPONT. One of the most satisfactory Dahlias. The flowers are perfect giants in size, deep centered, and bloom in the greatest profusion the whole season long. Color, bright ruby red, deeper at center. Tubers, \$0.75

MARION WELLER. (Marean-Harding.) Dec. A very fine new Dahlia of a most wonderful formation of a bright pink, on long stems. Extra fine. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.25

MARGARET WOODROW WILSON. (F. & M.) A large decorative Dahlia having broad petals well placed, terminating in points, making a very thick flower. Color, opalescent pink (meaning the reverse of petals are so colored as to reflect a pink tone to the whole flower). Flowers held well out of dark green foliage on perfect stems. Medium height plant. Awarded Cert. of Merit by Dahlia Society of New Jersey, 1925. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

MRS. S. B. AFFERSON. H. S. A wonderful flower. A rich, dark purple, measuring seven inches in diameter with a good stem; making it one of the best cut flowers; very long keeper. When the flower is in full bloom the petals touch in back, making one big solid ball. A perfect beauty to look at. Stock short. Tubers, \$1.00

MARION BROOMALL. H. C. Pink and white, descendant of Gladys Sherwood. It is more cactus in shape than Gladys Sherwood, with better stems and habit. A beautiful flower. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

MARMION. Dec. Lovely tone of soft golden yellow with slight bronze suffusion on the reserve. Good stems, sturdy plants, and too big to be planted with other varieties. Tubers, \$6.00; Plants, \$3.00

MIRAFLORA. C. White, tinted violet pink. The petals are long straight and rather narrow. This variety might almost be called a giant. Flowers eight to ten inches in diameter are borne profusely on first class stems. Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75

MISS CALIFORNIA. Dec. A large perfectly formed bloom of that new, attractive shade known as oriental fuchsia, a peculiar deep lavender color. Has unusually long, stiff stems which hold the flowers high above the foliage. It is an excellent keeper when cut. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

MRS. W. d'ARCY RYAN. Dec. (Boston.) Large regularly formed flowers held proudly erect on perfectly stiff stems. Color, clear rich copper, sometimes shading to old gold. Tubers, \$0.60

MRS. GEORGE E. BEMISTER. Dec. Very beautiful flesh pink. Tubers, \$0.75

MRS. CHARLES SMITHERS. Dec. A large bloom which is very useful for exhibition. Color is magenta with suffusions of white. Tubers, \$0.75

MRS. EMILY DAVIE. Dec. A very large light rose pink shading to yellow. Flowers are on erect stems, four feet long. Tubers, \$1.00

MRS. HENRY E. FOLEY. H. C. One more silver cup seedling. Don't miss this one as it is a dandy. I grew this beauty this season to show to the visitors and all with no exception asked about when would it be on the market. Mr. Murphy has now released it, so send in your orders at once as stock is limited. A very large ten inch well constructed flower. The color is a combination of white and two tone magenta clouded and suffused in a way hard to describe. You will have to grow this flower to appreciate the new coloring. It has a habit all its own, laterals grow up straight like a cane. It will carry eight limbs easy and if you want three foot stems for baskets with a perfect flower on the end cut low. Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

MRS. J. J. MARSHALL. Dec. A beauty, one of the outstanding flowers of the season. A dark bronze or autumn shade. Grows very large on good stem. I grew this nine inches the past season. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

MRS. CHAS. W. READING. Dec. A truly wonderful new creation very large on good stems, good bloomer. Color, gold with lighter shading, suffused and tipped rose carmine, must be seen to be appreciated. Great exhibition and cut flower. Stock short. Tubers, \$3.50; Plants, \$1.75

MAH JONG. Dec. This new, striking novelty is different in every way. Of dwarf growth, blooms very large and finely formed. Produced very freely on rigid stems, face up. Color, oriental red and yellow attractively blended. Tubers, \$1.00

MRS. J. A. BABBITT. Dec. Color, a deep yellow, the reverse of the petals overlaid with crimson, an unusual but handsome combination. The blooms are all giant size and of graceful formation. Excellent garden or exhibition Dahlia. Also very satisfactory for cutting. Tubers, \$0.60

MRS. JOHN K. ALLEN. Dec. A new creation of great merit. Flowers are large and attractive; petals are long, narrow and semi-quilled, with a slight twist toward outer edge. Coloring is a two tone effect, a light cardinal red, with a buff yellow reverse. Extra fine keeping quality, stems strong, holding the flower erect. Blooms very early with bushes laden with flowers throughout the season. Tubers, \$1.00

MARY CURTIN. Dec. Peo. This is one of the richest colored flowers we have in our garden. Was introduced by Mr. Thos. J. Murphy of Peabody, Mass. A brilliant crimson with each petal tipped pure white, the color combination staying the same throughout the season. Flowers are large, of great substance and beauty. Splendid keeper, strong stout stems. A very attractive variety for both exhibition and garden. Tubers, \$1.50

MR. CROWLEY. Dec. The exquisite color of this Dahlia is most remarkable, being the brightest, most glowing shade of salmon-pink; the base of the petals is yellow; a flower that attracts immediate attention. The foliage is extra good in color and substance; the habit is dwarf; flowers are of medium size, held erect on strong stems. A wonderful garden variety. Tubers, \$0.50

MISS CLARA SEARS. Peo. A very large, beautiful yellow flower, full, and deep. Grows eight inches in diameter. Very attractive. Tubers, \$0.75

MRS. J. C. HART. Dec. A wonderful shade of red; very large, deep flower of good form; free bloomer; strong stems. Tubers, \$0.50

MEYERBEER. Peo. This is an immense bloom of a fascinating purple maroon, rich and velvety, and has been one of the most popular dark colored peonies since its introduction several years ago. The flowers are well placed on long and strong stems. Tubers, \$0.30

MRS. W. E. ESTES. H. C. We recommend this as probably the best all-round white Dahlia for any purpose and any place. The huge fluffy blooms are borne aloft on long, stiff stems in great profusion and never burn in the sun. Tubers, \$0.30

- MASS. FANCY.** Dec. An odd mixture of yellow and red, a very large and deep flower composed of wide petals; a grand exhibition variety. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- MAID OF THE MIST.** Dec. This magnificent Dahlia is a deep cream shading to salmon-pink on the outer petals which roll back and twist very prettily; the blossoms are immense in size and have been a sensation at the recent shows. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- MRS. JOHN BRAY.** Peo. Dec. A most distinctive fancy peony of a white ground, speckled, striped and splashed with maroon, forming a good contrast to the yellow disc; very large and good stem. Tubers, **\$0.75**
- MRS. C. FLOOD.** Dec. A very beautiful flower. Petals long, narrow, and semi-quilled. Color, a delicate pink, shading to white and pale gold at center. Stems are long and wiry, holding the flower erect. It is a very pleasing variety for anyone to grow in the garden. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- MRS. I. DE VER WARNER.** One of the best of decorative Dahlias. In color, a deep mauve pink. Stems long and stiff, making it an excellent variety for cutting. Tubers, **\$0.40**
- MEPHISTOPHELES.** Dec. This is probably the finest Dahlia of its class that has ever been introduced. The flowers which are very large and of fine form are a vivid scarlet. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- MILLIONAIRE.** (Stillman.) Dec. Delicate lavender pink, shading to white. Very large flowers. Tubers, **\$0.40**
- MARAPOSA.** The most beautiful of all the Hybrid Cactus Dahlias. Curly petals of pink, with deeper pink at the center. The whole suffused with faint violet. Mas long stems and has good keeping qualities. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- MRS. C. B. BENEDICT.** H. *Alexander's New Seedling.* Eight to ten inches across. A clear light yellow, one of the largest grown, a wonderful flower. Tubers, **\$0.50**
- MAUD ADAMS.** S. A perfect snowball with faint lavender blush on tip of petals. Very desirable for cut flowers. **\$0.25**
- MRS. ETHEL F. T. SMITH.** H. C. Creamy white shading to a lemon tint in the center. This is the largest Dahlia I have grown, producing blooms up to ten and three-quarters inches in diameter without disbudding. It is a profuse bloomer, and the flowers are held far above the foliage on strong stems, winning the admiration of all visitors. Tubers, **\$0.25**
- MRS. ESTELLE LAWTON LINDSEY.** Dec. Scarlet and gold. The gorgeous coloring of the well known "Geisha" reproduced in an enormous full centered decorative. The color varies on different blooms, but the two colors are always in evidence. The immense flowers, seven to nine inches in diameter, are on strong stems. Keeps well as a cut flower. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- MYRA VALENTINE.** Dec. Large golden bronze flowers on stems three feet long, which carries the blooms well up and out of the foliage. A grand cut flower and exhibition variety. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- MINNIE McCULLOUGH.** Dec. One of the most indispensable decorative varieties. It is entirely distinct, in a class by itself, on account of the combination of Autumn shades—the gold and red of Autumn leaves. The flowers must be seen to be fully appreciated. Especially effective under artificial light. Selected stock. Tubers, **\$0.25 each; \$2.50 dozen**
- MAHOGANY.** C. A rich dark velvet red flower, with long narrow petals, stems very stiff, free bloomer. Tubers, **\$0.25**
- MANATAUG.** Dec. A wonderful new decorative, a sure winner. The color, a rich American Beauty rose crimson, slightly darker at center. Large flowers on great stems. Great cut flower and stands up well. At Brockton Fair, 1925, won two first prizes for best twelve and best six long stems. Said a prominent florist of fifty years' experience: "On September 24, 1925, a vase of Manataug long stems were placed in my store, and on September 28th they were in good condition." A new wonder and hard to beat. Tubers, **\$2.50; Plants, \$1.25**

MRS. CARL SALBACH. (Salbach.) Dec. Beautiful mauve pink, shading to white at center. Flowers are large and fine for exhibition. Each, Tubers, **\$0.40**

MARGARET E. MILLIS. H. (Millis.) A wonderful bloomer on good stems. The coloring is amaranth-pink combined with white in a streaked effect. The flowers are very deep and large with petals inclined to twist. This variety shows up in the field in a manner that makes it very conspicuous and attractive and I can recommend it highly. Tubers, **\$0.50**

N

NOBILIS. Dec. Scarlet and white, mostly white. Unlike Earle Williams or any other scarlet and white. Blooms large all season. Each **\$0.50**

N. C. 4. Dec. The coloring of this Dahlia is almost impossible to accurately describe as the much twisted petals give it a decided tri-color effect, about equally divided between scarlet and white with yellow shadings both on the front and reverse. The huge flowers are carried on long stems which bend out most artistically on all sides of the bush. Tubers, **\$0.40**

NATURE'S MASTERPIECE. Dec. At the Northwest Trial Grounds of the A. D. S. Show at the Washington State College, Puyallup, Wash., this Dahlia scored 93 points in 1925. This is the highest score that we know about for the large flowering varieties. We were told about this Dahlia and we grew it last year and were much pleased with it. The introducer's description is as follows: "A most elegant, rich combination of old rose, cinnamon and metallic bronze, blended into one color suffused with mulberry." In addition to this its effectiveness is increased by a violet shaded reflex. The large bloom are held erect on 20-30 inch stems. A very free bloomer. Tubers, **\$7.50**; Plants, **\$3.75**

NAGEL'S ROEM. C. One of Mr. Nagels striking varieties and a grand flower. A beautiful bronze colored yellow flower of the true cactus class. Created a big sensation at 1926 New York Show. It has the best of stem and is a good bloomer. Stock scarce. Plants only. **\$2.50**

NIBELUNGENHORT. C. Salmon rose. Fine old favorite. Tubers, **\$0.25**

O

OLIVE REED. (Seal.) Dec. A clear pure shade of yellow, of which we have not many. A large thick flower on excellent stems, held high above the bush. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

OH HENRY. A sensational new fancy decorative that was one of the most outstanding Dahlias in the fields the past season. An enormous flower on straight stems. Color, red and gold, variegated in the most striking manner imaginable. Stock limited. Tubers, **\$10.00**

OUR COUNTRY. Dec. One of the most attractive bi-colored or fancy Dahlias ever introduced. Color, a most beautiful shade of deep purple extending about three quarters the length of petals, then shading into pure white at the tips of each and every petal. You will never see this flower sport to a solid color. The flowers often grow to be ten inches in diameter. Sold in 1924 for \$50 a bulb and \$15 in 1925. It now is within reach of all Dahlia growers. Tubers, **\$2.00**

OREGON BEAUTY. Dec. A seedling from William Agnew, resembling the parent in size, shape, and color. Flowers are large and full to the center. Color, a glowing, fiery scarlet, making Oregon Beauty distinctive in every garden. Each, **\$0.50**

OLIVE PARTRIDGE. H. D. A very large beautiful flower on stiff stem. Grows eight inches in diameter. Color, light magenta. Tubers, **\$0.50**

OREGON SUNSET. Dec. A blending of beautiful sunset colors on good stem. Large size flower. Tubers, **\$0.60**

P

PAUL REVERE. Dec. In this flower we have one of the best ever produced. A bright crimson, full heavy flower, with fine habit and good stems.

Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

PREMIER CLEMENCEAU. H. C. This is a very pretty Dahlia of lemon and white. One of the handsomest flowers we have.

Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

POP STEWART. Giant Dec. This is a remarkable flower of great size. Color, lilac pink. Won First Prize for largest flower in Montclair Show, New Jersey. We recommend it as one of the finest Dahlias in existence, with great stems.

Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

PRIDE OF STRATFORD. Dec. Predominating color, cadmium orange, shading to light orange at the base of petals; reverse rose. Very large flowers held erect on strong stems.

Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

PRIMULA REX. Dec. Very light cream primrose color. Flowers are immense with every good quality. Far ahead of anything in its class and color.

Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75

PLYMOUTH ANGLE. H. C. A beautiful new Dahlia of immense size, one of the real big ones. Color, soft creamy yellow. A very graceful, artistic flower.

Tubers, \$10.00

PLYMOUTH BEAUTY. H. C. Seedling of "Colossal Peace." Color, rose-pink, shading to white center. Blooms very large with high, full centers. Petals broad and flat and curve back. A variety that is admired by all.

Tubers, \$1.00

PRESIDENT WILSON. Dec. This is one of the most attractive Dahlias I have ever raised, being a very bright crimson with each petal distinctly tipped white.

Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.50

PACIFIC GLOW. Peo. A very large light pink peony. Florets long and slightly twisted. Grand for exhibition.

Tubers, \$0.50

PRIDE OF DAHLIADEL. Dec. A massive flower of great depth similar to the Grizzly, but our tests have proven it a decided improvement. Has a fuller center, and holds an even tone without fading. Color, rich deep carmine red. A Dahlia of real merit.

Tubers, \$0.75

PURITY. (Slocombe.) Dec. This variety is very appropriately named as it is a pure glistening white, of sterling quality. An early, continuous and abundant bloomer, recommended for cut-flower or garden purposes.

Tubers, \$0.25

PURPLE MANITOU. Dec. (Charmet.) Identical in shape and size to "Le Grand Manitou." In color, a beautiful rich deep purple. Large flowers, on long stiff stems. Plants are dwarf growers. By far the best reasonably priced purple Decorative.

Tubers, \$0.25

PAUL MICHAEL. Dec. 1922 introduction. Won First Prize for the largest Dahlia exhibited at Palace Hotel Show, 1921, also highest certificate of merit at the California Dahlia Society trial gardens. An immense flower of bright apricot with bronze shadings, good stems and unexcelled for exhibition.

Tubers, \$0.50

PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA. Dec. (Lohrmann.) The finest of the dark crimson Decorative Dahlias for all purposes. An exceptionally large flower making it the best possible for exhibition. It produces its gigantic flowers on long stiff stems and very abundantly, making it an ideal garden and cut-flower variety. In warm climates it does very well, and can always be depended upon. The plant is a tall vigorous grower, and produces its flowers on stems as stiff as cane.

Tubers, \$0.25

PATRICK O'MEARA. Dec. This sensational new decorative variety was awarded a Gold Medal by the American Dahlia Society as the best Autumn shade variety in existence. The color is an unusually soft and pleasing shade of orange-buff, slightly tinged with Neyron rose. It is very large, seven to nine inches in diameter and borne on long, strong, erect stems.

Tubers, \$0.50

POLAR SNOW. Dec. The largest pure white decorative yet introduced. It is an extra full deep blossom on a long stiff stem. The plants are strong and healthy and as soon as the stock gets plentiful will be grown by every lover of Dahlias. Tubers, **\$1.25**

POLLYANNA M. Dec. A very large flower, close built. Color, yellow and two tone red. Extra good. Tubers, **\$1.00**

Q

QUEEN OF THE GARDEN BEAUTIFUL. Dec. It is a large primrose yellow with a strong stem, perfect type. A flower that fulfills the dream of Dahlia lovers. One of the largest of all Dahlias, measuring from nine to twelve inches across, grown without forcing. The stems are usually strong and is a wonderful keeper. Tubers, **\$4.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

R

REFLECTION. Dec. Still another silver cup seedling. A grand exhibition and cut flower variety. Face of petals are white, reverse somewhat suffused violet with a light shell pink base. Flowers large and deep held high above foliage on the best of stems. Free bloomer. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

RIP VAN WINKLE. Dec. A very large golden bronze. Good and long stem, free bloomer. Grows eight inches without disbudding. Blooms are deep and full resembling a giant ball. One of the most popular in my garden this season. Don't miss it. Only a few to sell. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

ROBERT SCOTT. (Brock.) Dec. Color, apricot yellow, rose shading, large bold flower, excellent stem, bushes hold many large blooms at one time. Tubers, **\$2.50**; Plants, **\$1.25**

RED SOX. Dec. A grand new red that is perfection. One of the largest grown and every bloom of exhibition size and form. Its fine bush-like plants are always full of giant blooms, held erect on a perfect stem. Color, bright crimson-red. In form it is nearly that of the hybrid cactus. A real wonder. Take my advice and don't miss this one. Tubers, **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**

RED CROSS. H. C. Old gold shading, yellow and suffused scarlet. Very striking, of good substance and form. Tubers, **\$0.40**

ROSALIA STYLES. Colossal Peo. The largest and best pink of this class. Beautiful form, immense size, stiff stems, strong, vigorous, sturdy plant, a free and continuous bloomer, while last but not least, a wonderful live lustrous color, a bright tyrian pink, tipped lighter; reflex pink. The plant is a strong, vigorous, sturdy grower, of medium height (five feet) branching and producing the giant flowers freely on long cane stiff stems. A superb cut flower variety on account of its clear color, good stems and remarkable shipping and keeping qualities. The early flowers are quite full to the center on first opening, giving good depth. On the exhibition table the eight to nine inch flowers are held erect, without support, by their own stems. The plant is simply perfect for the garden. Has attracted the greatest attention wherever seen and will be universally grown. Each tuber **\$0.50**

RUBE GIRL. H. C. A remarkable bronzy or autumn shade variety that has forged to the front as a garden plant, and is especially valuable as a cut-flower. Color, soft yellow, suffused, overlaid and tipped coral red, giving the flower a bronze effect. A free bloomer, producing perfect flowers on stiff stems. Tubers, **\$0.30**

ROCKWOOD. Dec. One of Bessie Boston's favorite introductions, which she describes as follows: "An entirely new shade of pink which is more like the popular Russell rose, than any other flower. It is pure bright cerise rose." Large flowers with excellent stems. Low bushes produce masses of flowers all season. A continuous prize winner. Tubers, **\$1.00**

- ROSA NELL.** Dec. The color is a clear, bright rose. The flowers are large, and I consider it the best shaped Decorative Dahlia I have seen coming perfectly full and double until frost; good stems and habit. Tubers, **\$0.30**
- RODMAN WANAMAKER.** Dec. (Peacock.) A most wonderful Dahlia, admired by all visitors. The blooms were nine-ten inches in diameter. In color again this variety is entirely distinct. The buds are pale lemon yellow as each petal expands, but quickly develops into a golden bronzy pink and finally into a bright shade of Ochraceous Salmon, with reflex of Spinal pink. The bushes are tall and always covered with these immense bloom held perfectly erect on stiff stems. Sold for \$25 in 1924. Tubers, **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**
- RADIO.** Dec. A 1924 sensation that held up in good shape. A very large attractive red and yellow flower with good stems. One of our best. Tubers, **\$2.00**; Plants, **\$1.00**
- REINZE.** Dec. Large, bold yellow and red flower, held above the foliage on good stems. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- ROBERT TREAT.** Dec. American Beauty rose shade that made a lot of noise for 1925. Also a prize winner 1923 and 1924. One nice start for Bob. Tubers, **\$1.00** net
- RALPH BLODGETT.** Dec. A very pretty tri-color combination of amber, pink and white. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- ROLLO BOY.** H. C. This Dahlia won First Prize for the largest and best Dahlia at the Palace Hotel Show, 1924. Color, a delicate amber, shading to old gold. Tubers, **\$1.50**
- ROMAN EAGLE.** Dec. One real bronze shade Decorative; unusually large and deep. 1925 was a banner season for this great flower. Tubers **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**
- ROSE FALLON.** Dec. The outstanding Dahlia of whole A. D. S., N. Y. Show, December, 1925. Has no equal of its color East or West. Gigantic in size, wonderful stem, splendid keeper, perfect formation, and not in the least coarse. Winner of the Silver Medal. Color, deep old gold. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**
- ROSE ASH.** (Boston.) H. C. The outside of the petals is tan, heavily overlaid with pink and shaded with chrome yellow. The reverse of petals are a smoky pink, making it a very odd and beautiful flower. The giant blooms are held aloft on strong stems. Extra fine. Tubers, **\$0.75**
- ROYAL PURPLE.** Dec. A very beautiful dark royal purple in color with good long stem, very large and keeps well. One of the best bloomers in purple class. Tubers, **\$0.50**

S

- MR. THOS. J. MURPHY'S NEW SEEDLING.** Winner of the \$100 President's Cup at Boston Show, 1926.
- SHIRLEY EILEEN SHATTUCK.** Dec. The best lavender to date on long stiff stems. Free bloomer on well constructed plant. Can easily be grown eight inches in diameter without disbudding. Don't miss this one as it is reasonable in price for so good a seedling. Tubers, **\$15.00**; Plants, **\$7.50**
- SOMERSET.** (Eierman.) Very, very large flower with the best of stems, and keeping qualities. General color effect, salmon and old rose, sometimes a touch of lavender. Color varies somewhat according to weather conditions and age of the flower. Very healthy and vigorous grower. Winner of the Samuel W. Heller \$175.00 Memorial Prize at the 1925 California State Flower Show at Pasadena. Tubers, **\$3.00**; Plants, **\$1.50**
- SOROSIS SOUVENIR.** H. Dec. Immense blooms of a very rich, soft, yellow; a well built flower on long, stout stems. Wonderful exhibition and garden variety. Tubers, **\$1.00**
- SWIFT.** Dec. A very large lemon yellow. Good stem and bloomer. Tubers, **\$0.50**

- SILVERTIPS.** Dec. (Allen.) A white tipped variety that is very attractive. Color combination is unusual, light pink at base, to a distinct band of rose, then to pure silvery white at tips. Tubers, \$0.50
- STORM KING.** S. Considered by growers as the most reliable pure white show Dahlia to date. \$0.25 each; \$2.50 dozen
- SOROSIS.** Dec. A very large crimson decorative of fine form. The best red on the market today for this price. Tubers, \$1.00
- SISKIYOU.** H. C. This Dahlia grows to an enormous size and it produces the largest flowers we have ever grown. It has created a sensation wherever it was grown. Plants are very strong and vigorous. Flowers are held perfectly erect on strong stems. Color is pink, tinged mauve. Tubers, \$1.50
- SNOWDRIFT.** H. C. Of par excellence as a pure white cut flower; large size, good stems, pure color, and wonderful keeping qualities. Tubers, \$0.35
- SHADOW'S LAVENDER.** Dec. The very large bloom is a silvery lavender slightly shading to white. In hot weather the white will be more marked, but as the season advances will almost entirely disappear. The stem is absolutely perfect, long and stiff, and holds erect the big blossom. Tubers, \$1.50
- SUSAN G. TEVIS.** Dec. An extra fine Dahlia, which produces an abundance of flowers, early to bloom, and continues until frost. The color is a deep shade of lilac, with a bluish sheen. Flowers are carried on strong stiff stems. Tubers, \$1.00
- SUNLIT.** Dec. A new tango buff shade, reverse of petal Turkish red that appeals to you as soon as you see it. The flower is built like J. A. B. Parker, plant much stronger and higher and better; colorings of the famous Turkish rugs. Tubers, \$0.50
- SAMAR.** Dec. Peo. Here we have something odd in the shape of a very large Decorative Peony. Extra large and loose built, white and lavender-pink flowers. Everybody seems to want something new. Here you have it. An unusually pretty flower; fine for exhibition. Tubers, \$0.50
- SANHICAN'S BLUEBIRD.** Dec. If I remember right, we have three Bluebirds on the market, all good singers, but this is the only one that hums. All summer she'll hum away the blues. Why be blue with a pink necktie? Tubers, \$1.75; Plants, \$1.00
- SUNNY SOUTH.** H. C. Clear bright yellow; large, nice built flower with a good stem. Strong dwarf grower. Tubers, \$1.25
- SAGAMORE.** (Kirby.) An outstanding novelty owing to its great beauty and wonderful keeping qualities. Five to seven inch flowers of true decorative form, clear deep yellow or bright orange. Dark shiny clean foliage, of vigorous and branching growth and continuously in bloom. Sagamore won the 1923 Darnell cup as the most beautiful and best keeping variety at the New York Show. Tubers, \$1.50
- SUNNY CALIFORNIA.** Gold, heavily suffused with red, a very pleasing combination. Large flowers, strong stems. Tubers, \$1.25
- SANHICAN'S GLORY.** (F. & M.) Dec. A truly beautiful flower of good construction, fine stem. Color, orange, amber and gold. Tubers, \$1.00
- SANHICAN'S MONARCH.** (F. & M.) A dazzling exhibition decorative Dahlia of a deep Tyron-rose at center of flower, shading to a lighter tone at points of petals. A profuse bloomer having dark green foliage and black cane like stems which hold the flower perfectly out of foliage. A flower that never shows the center either early or late, of medium tall habit of growth. Excellent keeper. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
- SANHICAN'S MAGNATE.** (F. & M.) As the name indicates, this is one of the big fellows of the Dahlia Kingdom. Exhibition decorative of pale amaranth face tinged with a deeper amaranth pink, reverse of petals a solid claret color, heavily veined. The large flowers are held erect on very stiff stems, profuse bloomer, medium height plants, dark green foliage. Awarded Certificate of Merit by Dahlia Society of New Jersey, 1925. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

SENORITA. Dec. A gigantic, showy flower on a fine stem. Color is velvety crimson with scarlet suffusion. One of the finest and largest from California.
Tubers, \$0.75

SOLI MIO. Dec. One of the new 1926 varieties that has made a hit with all that have seen it. A very large flower of the ten-inch type. Color, creamy yellow with large pointed petals. Stock limited. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

SALLY GIRL. Dec. One of the giants that has a very good stem for so large a flower. It never needs much trimming to produce good size blooms. It is a beautiful pink differently shaded from any I have seen, creamy rose pink, paler at the edges of the petals, and deep cream at the center.
Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

SILVERADO. H. C. (Seal.) Without doubt the largest Dahlia of its class ever produced. The immense blooms are of white, gradually shading toward the center to a delicate silvery lavender. The stems are extra long and strong, the tall, well branched bushes are always covered with these huge feathery blooms.
Tubers, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75

T

TOP NOTCH. Dec. Another silver cup seedling that has stood the test. The flower opens a light primrose and as it matures bleaches; graduates to cream and white. Extra large blooms on good stems. Never comes with open center. It has been well recommended by commercial growers.
Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

THE TELEGRAM. Dec. A new seedling of Mr. Marshall's that he should feel proud of. A wonderful orange yellow tipped white. Grows large on medium stems and a good bloomer. Attracted as much attention in my garden the past season as any other flower. Stock very short.
Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

THE ORANGEADE. Dec. A new seedling of Mr. Marshall's. Grows eight and nine inches without disbudding. A free bloomer, good stem. Color, a beautiful orange.
Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00

TRUE AMERICAN. Dec. Color, royal purple, tipped white. A giant flower on erect stems. A striking novelty that attracts the immediate attention.
Tubers, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

THE BASHFUL GIANT. Dec. This is unquestionably the largest flowering Dahlia ever produced. The gigantic blooms are excellent for exhibition, not only on account of its great size, but for its beautiful color, being an apricot with golden shadings. Should be in every Dahlia lover's collection.
Tubers, \$0.75

THE EMPEROR. Dec. (Marean.) It is a maroon of the finest type. The flower is made up of long flat petals. This Dahlia is enormous in size and produced on a long stem.
Each, \$1.25

TOMMY ATKINS. Dec. Color, flaming scarlet, a somewhat different color than any other Dahlia, fine form and full centered and very large, and strong, stiff stems.
Tubers,

THE BANDIT. H. C. A beautiful coloring of spectrum red with backs of petals a buff yellow and bright yellow at base. Scored second in a field of 143 entries at Storrs, Conn. I'll say Bandy is some shot. He can hit the bulls-eye in any garden. Just give him a chance.
Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

TRENTONIAN. Dec. A giant Decorative. The color is that of an Indian skin, a wonderful blending of old gold, amber and coppery bronze. A well lasting cut flower on extra good stems.
Tubers, \$1.50

TOM MIX. Dec. Entirely distinct new decorative of unique coloring, a startling combination of red, yellow and white. A massively built flower, very deep as well as broad. Don't miss this one as it is very popular. Tubers,

THE PINK QUEEN. Dec. A large handsome pink overlaid with darker pink and veined darker. Has a perfect long stiff stem holding the blossoms straight up. Tubers, **\$1.50**

THE GIANTESS. (Marean.) Dec. Rightly named. A perfect giant of a rich solid amber, strong plants and stems as stiff as a cane. A perfect exhibition flower.

THE GHOST. (Marshall.) H. Dec. A beautiful white hybrid decorative Dahlia that has attracted the attention of some of the best growers the past three seasons. A very large deep flower, a perfect stem. On account of very large sales last Fall will have only a few tubers but will supply green plants. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, Net, **\$2.50**

THE LEMONADE. (Ward.) Dec. Yellow Dahlias are becoming quite plentiful, but in this we have the very best I ever saw and think it almost perfect. Color, pale lemon yellow. An exhibition flower of vigorous growth, excellent, stem free flowering and flowers remain large all season.

Net. Tubers, **\$6.00**; Plants, **\$3.00**

THE COLOR SERGEANT. Dec. This is something new and good. Color, deep coral. Very large. Tubers, **\$5.00**; Plants, **\$2.50**

THE GRIZZLY. Dec. Deep red with extra fine stems.

\$0.50 each; 3 for \$1.35

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U. S. A. H. C. This Dahlia has been one of our best sellers and has always been in demand even when the price was much higher than now. We have succeeded in working up a large stock of it and are able to offer it at a price within the reach of all. The color is a glowing orange red which appeals to all flower lovers. The flowers are very large and of a unique loose formation fitting in any artistic decorations. It is without a peer as a cut flower, producing great quantities of blooms on perfect stems, and is as well suited for exhibition, having received prizes wherever shown. This description may appear to be made up of superlatives, but we feel we are telling about a superlative Dahlia that we can conscientiously recommend to anyone and anywhere. Tubers, **\$1.00**

V

VENUS. (Marean.) This is a very lovely variety. The color is a soft beautiful shade of creamy white with lavender suffusion. An extra fine grower.

Tubers, **\$0.40**

W

WASHINGTON CITY. C. A gigantic pure white, starlike flower. It has a long stem and holds its flower erect. Tubers, **\$0.50**

WM. SLOCOMBE. Dec. A fine large flower, well formed of a beautiful shade of canary yellow, shading to deep yellow towards the center. An exceptionally fine flower, carried on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Tubers, **\$0.60**

WIZARD OF OZ. Dec. A veritable giant of a Dahlia in a most attractive shade of amber pink. The immense blooms are carried upright on strong stems and are fine for exhibition or large decorations. Tubers, **\$1.50**

WORLD'S WONDER. Dec. Color, golden salmon. Low plant and an early bloomer. This is a very large, deep, full flower with almost a never disappointing center. The keeping qualities of this flower are very unusual and it is borne on very long, stiff stems. A profuse bloomer. Tubers, \$0.30

WONDERLAND. Dec. One of the largest Dahlias ever produced. Chocolate maroon with silver reverse and a new odd twist in each petal that makes the flower large and heavy. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.50

WARREN'S JUMBO. Dec. Very large golden bronze and one of our real up-to-date Dahlias. You'll make one large mistake if you don't grow this new creation. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

W. E. COOPER. (Boston.) A large true pink decorative which blooms well in hot dry weather. Clear light pink. Flowers five to seven inches. Stems six to twelve inches. No better pink of its size. Dwarf if grown well in open. Tubers, \$0.75

WEST POINT. A grand new red decorative of high order. The plants make a fine bushy growth and produce quantities of great blooms of finest form and on the best of stems, the whole season. Color, pure rich crimson-red. Tubers, \$1.00

WILLIAM G. H. C. A very large flower of good habits, long stiff stem. Color, deep henna shade. Tubers, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50

W. J. ERWIN. Dec. Highly recommended as one of the best lavenders. It has size, good stems and blooms profusely. Tubers, \$4.00; Plants, \$2.00

WORLD'S BEST WHITE. (Murphy.) Dec. One of the outstanding whites at all the shows for the past two seasons, very free blooming Dahlia. Flowers on good long stems well above the foliage. Tubers, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.50

W. D'ARCY RYAN. Dec. Fantastic yet fascinating. Violet purple, heavily tipped white. The description does not do it justice. Everybody buys it. Tubers, \$0.60

WANDA MILLER. Dec. This variety very much resembles "Our Country" in color but is much improved by having a good, erect stem. The color is deep violet with a stripe of white running through each petal. Tubers, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50

Z

ZEUS. Dec. A rich glowing red with each petal tipped gold. Very large, full flower. Is extra good. Tubers, \$2.50; Plants, \$1.00

SEED

100 SEED FROM MY TRIAL GARDEN—\$5.00

100 MIXED SEED—\$3.00

Pompon Dahlias

ACHILLES. Lavender-pink	\$0.25	KLEIN DOMITEA. Color, light	
ARIEL. Color, orange buff.....	.25	bronze .....	.25
ALEWINE. Color, white tipped		LA PETITE BARBARA. Color,	
and suffused lavender pink.....	.25	white .....	.25
ALLIE MOUREY. Color, deep pink	.25	LITTLE JENNIE. Buff and red..	.25
AMBER QUEEN. Color, a rich		LITTLE HELEN. Fine bloomer,	
clear amber, with apricot shading	.25	lively pale lavender.....	.25
ANNICE. Lilac purple.....	.40	LITTLE HERMAN. Cardinal red	
BRUNETTE. Red and white.....	.40	shaded maroon, tipped white.....	.25
BLINK. New purple, great pompon	.40	LITTLE BEAUTY. (Pom.) Soft	
BELLE OF SPRINGFIELD. Color,		pink .....	.35
bright red; the smallest variety		LITTLE DOROTHY. Shrimp pink	.25
to date. Greatly admired. Bulbs		LITTLE BESSIE. Creamy white..	.25
each .....	.50	LITTLE JACKET. Maroon and	
BOBBY. Plum .....	.25	white .....	.25
BRONZE BEAUTY. Beautiful		LITTLE BELLE. Mauve pink.....	.25
golden apricot; a free bloomer.		LEIDA. Small white and pink.....	.40
Good for cutting. Net.....	.25	MIDGET. (West.) Salmon	
BABY. Lavender pink to white at		suffused with violet.....	.50
tips .....	.25	MADELINE. Color, primrose;	
CATHERINE. Clear canary yellow	.25	edged rosy purple.....	.25
CLARA HARSH. Color, yellow,		MARY CLIFF. Color, amber.....	.25
tipped crimson.....	.25	NAUTILUS. Apricot, yellow center	.25
DARKSOME. (Alexander.) The		NEATNESS. Color, yellow;	
best real dark red or maroon.....	.35	edged red.....	.25
DARKNESS. Dark maroon,		NERISSA. Pink.....	.60
almost black.....	.25	NAMESIS. Maroon and white.....	.25
DONAVAN. White and lavender		NORA. Fine yellow and crimson..	.40
edge .....	.40	PHYLLIS. (Turner.) Deep yellow	
DR. KNABBE. White and purple	.40	shaded and edged red. Very fine	.50
ELFIN. Pale primrose.....	.40	PURE LOVE. Color, beautiful	
ELEGANTA. Pink.....	.40	shade of violet. Bulbs, each.....	.50
ELSIE. Light pink.....	.25	PRINCE CHARMING. Cream,	
FASCINATION. Very fine pink		tipped purple. One of the best	.25
and lavender with white under-		RAPHAEL. Very dark maroon of	
shadings .....	.25	extra fine form.....	.35
FAIRY QUEEN. Yellow and pink	.40	ROTHAUT. Color, deep crimson..	.25
FARRY. Buff yellow.....	.40	ROSALIE. Old rose and white, good	.25
FRAU HENECHÉ. Purplish maroon	.40	ROSEBUD. White, edged bright	
GANYMEDE. Color, fawn suf-		rosy pink. Very pretty and free	.35
fused pink. Best cutter.....	.25	SNOW BIRD. White.....	.50
GLORIA. Color, crimson suffused		SNOW CLAD. Small, free bloom-	
pink .....	.25	ing. Color, white.....	.25
GOLDEN QUEEN. Color, clear		SUNBEAM. Color, crimson scarlet	.25
yellow .....	.25	SNICKER. Dark red maroon,	
GRAUS AUS WEIN. Color,		almost black.....	.40
crushed strawberry.....	.25	SAN TOY. White, very heavily	
GUIDING STAR. Color, white;		tipped carmine.....	.30
petals quilled .....	.25	SUNSHINE. (West.) Scarlet or	
GIRLIE. Lilac .....	.50	light red.....	.30
HIGHLAND MARY. Variegated		TOMMY KEITH. Crimson, white	
white and red.....	.40	tips .....	.35
HILDA SEARL. Bright orange.....	.35	VIVID. (Turner.) Brightest	
JOE FETTE. Pure white.....	.35	scarlet. Bush dwarf.....	.30
JESSICA. Amber yellow.....	.25		

GLADIOLI

Name	Color	Each	Doz.	100
ANNA EBERIUS.....	Rhodamine purple.....	\$0.10	\$1.00	\$8.00
AMERICA.....	Lavender pink.....	.05	.50	3.00
ALBANIA.....	Pure glistening white.....	.10	1.00	
ALICE TIPLADY.....	Saffron orange.....	.05	.50	3.00
ARLON.....	Light salmon.....	.08	.75	
AZURE.....	Bright blue, lighter center.....	.10	1.00	
BERTRIX.....	Large white.....	.10	1.00	
BARON HULOT.....	Royal purple.....	.15	1.50	
CARMEN SYLVA.....	Snow white.....	.10	1.00	
CRIMSON GLOW.....	Deep crimson, lighter throat.....	.10	1.00	
CRACKER JACK.....	Velvety dark red.....	.05	.50	3.00
CHOCOLATE DROP.....	Chocolate to lavender.....	.10	1.00	4.00
CATHERINA.....	Grayish lavender.....	.10	1.00	4.00
CHICAGO WHITE.....	White with lavender lines.....	.05	.50	3.00
DIANA.....	Crimson.....	.15	1.40	
DR. F. E. BENNETT.....	Orange.....	.75	7.00	
E. J. SHAYLOR.....	Rose pink.....	.10	1.00	3.50
EVELYN KIRTLAND.....	Rose pink, shading lighter.....	.10	1.00	
ELF.....	Lemon yellow to snowy white.....	.15	1.50	
ELKHART.....	Light violet purple.....	.30	3.00	
EMPRESS OF INDIA.....	Dark purplish red.....	.10	1.00	
FLORA.....	Yellow.....	.08	.75	
GRETCHEN ZANG.....	Salmon pink.....	.05	.50	3.00
GOLDEN MEASURE.....	Golden yellow.....	.12	1.20	
GOLD.....	Pure gold yellow.....	.15	1.50	
GOLD DROP.....	Yellow.....	.10	1.00	
HERADA.....	Mauve.....	.05	.50	3.50
HENRY FORD.....	Dark rhodamine purple.....	.30	3.50	
HALLEY.....	Salmon rose.....	.05	.50	3.00
INDEPENDENCE.....	Deep pink, throat red.....	.05	.50	3.00
JOHN T. PIRIE.....	Mahogany brown.....	.25	2.50	
JENNY LIND.....	Apricot pink, yellow throat.....	.15	1.50	
JEWELL.....	Salmon pink, yellow throat.....	.10	1.00	
JOE COLEMAN.....	Rich red.....	.15	1.50	
JACK LONDON.....	Salmon orange, flame stripes.....	.10	1.00	
LILLY WHITE.....	Almost pure white.....	.08	.60	4.00
LOUISE.....	Lavender, wine throat.....	.10	1.00	
LE MARECHAL FOCH.....	Clear light pink.....	.05	.50	3.50
L'IMMACULEE.....	Pure white.....	.10	1.00	6.00
LILAC GLORY.....	Lilac rose pink.....	.25	2.50	
MRS. FRANK PENDLETON.....	Shell pink, crimson throat.....	.05	.50	3.00
MRS. DR. NORTON.....	Cream and pink blending.....	.07	.70	

Name	Color	Each	Doz.	100
MRS. F. C. PETERS.....	Rose lilac, crimson blotch.....	.15	1.50	
MRS. LEON DOUGLAS.....	Begonia rose, striped scarlet..	.15	1.50	
MARY PICKFORD.....	Creamy white.....	.10	1.00	8.00
MRS. FRANCIS KING.....	Light scarlet.....	.07	.70	5.00
MRS. JOHN HAYS HAMMOND.....	Begonia rose, streaked red.....	.15	1.50	12.00
MRS. WATT.....	Wine crimson.....	.05	.50	4.00
MYRA.....	Deep salmon, yellow throat.....	.05	.50	4.00
MARY FENNEL.....	Deep lilac, shading paler.....	.10	1.00	
MR. MARK.....	Fine dark blue.....	.10	1.00	
MR. W. H. PHIPPS.....	Flesh pink.....	.50	5.00	
PEACE.....	White violet markings.....	.05	.50	3.00
PRINCE OF WALES.....	Salmon.....	.08	.75	6.00
PURPLE GLORY.....	Deepest velvety maroon.....	.15	1.50	
PRESIDENT TAFT.....	Salmon pink, crimson throat..	.20	2.00	
PANAMA.....	Deep pink.....	.08	.75	4.00
PRINCEPINRE.....	Carmine red, white throat.....	.05	.50	3.00
ROSE ASH.....	Old rose, blending ashes of rose.....	.10	1.00	8.00
ROSE GLORY.....	Purest rose pink.....	.15	1.50	
RED FIRE.....	Reddest of red.....	.25	2.50	
RICHARD DIENER.....	Rose salmon, cream yellow center.....	.20	2.00	
ROUGE TORCH.....	Creamy white, rouge torch like tongue.....	.08	.75	4.00
SCHWABEN.....	Canary yellow.....	.05	.50	3.00
SWEETHEART.....	Cream, shading to golden yellow.....	.25	2.50	
TEMPA.....	Pink and old rose.....	.20	2.00	
THE PEARL.....	Light pink, light yellow throat	.05	.50	3.50
VIOLET GLORY.....	Deep violet.....	.12	1.20	
WHITE GLORY.....	White, iris blue throat.....	.15	1.50	
WAR.....	Deep red.....	.10	1.00	7.00
WILLBRINK.....	Soft pink.....	.08	.60	4.00

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ABBREVIATIONS

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